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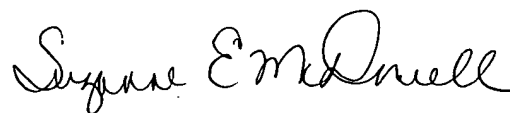
The response filed on 4/30/01 is defective because the response filed on 1/23/01, including pages 236 and 237, does not contain a statement by the attorney of record that the enclosed pages are a "true and correct copy" of a translation of the application as originally filed. The scanned pages of the application filed 10/14/98 contain Amended Sheet 26 and 27, and do not contain pages 236 and 237. Therefore, either pages 236 and 237 were not filed 10/14/98 or the pages were lost between Applications Branch and scanning. The pages can not be substituted for Amended Sheets 26 and 27 absent the above statement.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given TIME PERIOD of **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply a proper amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

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